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CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.

Services: Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; morning service and anti-communion, 11 a. m.; evening service and organ recital, 7 p. m. Preachers: Morning, Canon Beaulieu; evening, the Bishop of the diocese. The music set for the day follows:

Morning
Voluntary—Elevation..... St. Saens
Venite..... Hy. Smart
Psalm for 21st Morning.....
Te Deum..... Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus..... Macpherson
Kyrie..... Barnby
Gloria..... Maunder
Hymns..... 178, 182 and 525
Voluntary—Processional..... Baskitt

Evening
Voluntary—Chorus of Angels..... E. Clark
Processional Hymn.....
Psalm for 21st Evening.....
Magnificat..... Cathedral Psalter
Nunc Dimittis..... Clare
Anthem—I Am Alpha and Omega..... Stainer
Tenor, Solo, Mr. Goward, Bass Solo, Mr. Wollaston.
Hymns..... 56 and 121
Organ—Grand Chorus in March Form. Op. 84..... Alexander Guilmant
Vocal—O, Blest Redeemer..... Newton

Messrs. Goward and Floyd,
Organ—(a) Andante Cantabile: from Organ Symphony..... Charles Marie Widor
(b) Bridal Procession to the Minster, from Lohengrin.....
Wood—The Song of God Goes Forth to War..... Hy. Farmer
A. T. Goward.
Organ—On the Coast..... Dudley Buck
Dash high, roaring surges
On the rockbound coast of the Northland,
Shout in thy glee, foaming wave,
Borne on the clasp of the northwind,
Thunder in scholas tones
Through the caves of the guardian cliffs:
But when thou dost lull thee to rest,
O list to the Angelus Blast,
And the chant white floats over the deep.

ST. JOHN'S.
Preachers: Morning, Rev. Percival Jenks; evening, Rev. A. J. Stanley Aird. The music follows:

Morning
Organ—Voluntary.....
Venite..... Cathedral Psalter
Psalm for the 21st Morning.....
Te Deum..... Cathedral Psalter
Jubilate..... Arzon
Hymn..... Burnett in G
Kyrie..... Burnett in G
Gloria..... Burnett in G
Organ—Offering..... Burnett in G
Evening
Organ—Prelude.....
Psalm for the 21st Evening.....
Magnificat..... Cathedral Psalter
Nunc Dimittis..... Westley
Anthem.....
Hymns..... 370, 195 and 17
Vesper Hymn..... Burnett
Organ—Postlude..... March

ST. JAMES.
Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy Communion at 8; matins, anti-communion and sermon at 11; vespers and sermon at 7. The music follows:

Morning
Organ Voluntary..... Cathedral Psalter
Venite and Psalms..... Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum..... Quadruple Chant
Benedictus..... Barby
Kyrie..... Sullivan
Hymns..... 361 and 229
Organ—Voluntary.....
Evening
Organ Voluntary..... Cathedral Psalter
Psalm..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat..... Woodward
Nunc Dimittis..... Lyttleton
Hymns..... 277, 291 and 23
Vesper Hymn..... Sullivan
Organ Voluntary.....

ST. BARNABAS.
There will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 8 a. m., matins at 10.30 a. m., choral evensong and sermon at 11 a. m., choral evensong at 7 p. m. The Rev. E. G. Miller will be the preacher for the day. All seats are free. The musical arrangements are as follows:

Morning
Organ—Andante in F..... Spohr
Introit..... Adams in F
Hymns..... 345, 312 and 228
Communion Service..... Adams in F
Organ—Antiphon..... Fitzgerald
Organ—Postlude in E..... Binck

Evening
Organ—The Pilgrim's Chorus..... Wagner
Psalm..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat..... Battiselli
Nunc Dimittis..... Dr. Monk
Anthem—In Jewry Is God Known..... Dr. Clarke Whitfield
Hymns..... 266 and 27
Vesper—I Will Lay Me Down in Peace
Organ—O, Father, Whose Almighty Power..... Handel

ST. MARK'S, CLOVERDALE.
There will be a celebration of the holy communion at 8 a. m., matins and sermon at 11 a. m., evensong at 7 p. m. Preacher throughout the day, the rector.

CHURCH OF OUR LORD.
Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper the evening service. Sermons by Rev. Thea. W. Gladstone. Morning, "The Word of the Lord Tried Him"; evening, "The Lost Coin." Service Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The music follows:

Morning
Organ—Andante..... Beethoven
Venite and Psalm—As set.....
Te Deum..... Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus.....
Hymn..... 267
Kyrie—XXII..... 217 and 269
Organ—Postlude..... Mozart

Evening
Organ—Prelude..... E. M. Lott
Opening Hymn..... 564
Psalm—As set..... Cathedral Psalter
Cantata—No. 1..... Mercer
Deus—No. 1..... Mercer
Hymns..... 261, 268 and 528

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN.
Pastor, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, B. A. Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school, 2.30. Bible class. The pastor will be the preacher both morning and evening. The musical portion follows:

Morning
Voluntary—Cujus Animum..... Rossini
Psalm.....
Anthem—Abide in My Love..... 286 and 196
Voluntary—Offertorium..... Richmond

Evening
Voluntary—In Paradisum..... Dubois
Psalm.....
Anthem—Sun of My Soul..... Dunstan
Hymns..... 261 and 378
Duet—Lord of Life..... Nevill
Hicks, W. E. Stencland and M. Reynard.
Voluntary—Gloria in B Flat..... Farmer

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.
Rev. Dr. Campbell will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor Society at 10 a. m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p. m. Music as follows:

Morning
Psalm..... 38
Hymns..... 393 and 404
Anthem—Thine Is the Greatness..... Kent

Evening
Hymns..... 101, 285, 291 and 604
Anthem—The Lord Is My Shepherd..... Macfarren

METROPOLITAN METHODIST.
Rev. Geo. W. Dean will preach at 11 a. m., and the pastor, Rev. G. K. B. Adams, at 7 p. m. Evening subject, Character Sketches, "David, the Giant Killer." Splendid musical service under Gideon Hicks. Classes, 10 a. m. Sunday school and Bible classes, 2.30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

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Such were the last hours of the second rammer. The story of the catastrophe gave the post Falconer, who had been himself until a short time previously a midshipman in the Ramilles, the idea of his poem, 'The Shipwreck'.

Seven hundred and twenty brave men had died. And ninety good guns to keep her company. But as we were sailing, to our great surprise, a terrible storm then began to rise.

like, was read recently at the meeting of the Institution of Naval Architects at the Society of Arts, London, when the Earl of Glasgow presided.

The paper dealt with the 'Influence of machinery on the gun power of the modern warship' and showed that if a large number of guns are to be effectively mounted they must all be placed so as to fire on either broadside.

The British Admiralty's proposal to make its building policy dependent upon the action of the Hague conference ought to be a splendid spur to that body to work for the limitation of armaments.

Close to the bow of the monster—and the Indomitable is 220 feet long, 78 feet broad, and about 30 feet high from keel to deck—was a lofty, red-carpeted platform, at the front of which, in the centre, was a roped enclosure, containing a little table, on which were the flag of wine, covered with red, white and blue ribbons, which the Marchioness was to break against the hull, and the cord which she was to sever.

The sea looked fine, and it rolled mountains high. Which made our men to weep and our captain to cry: 'My boys, enter your business, your skill do not spare. For as long as we have sea-room we've nothing else to fear.'

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TIDE TABLE. Victoria, B. C., April, 1907. Table with columns for Date, Time High, Time Low, Time High, Time Low.

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PREMIER MBRIDE'S PLEASURE TRIP.

It is just as well to have the assurance that Premier McBride is not going to ask permission to lay the case he is carrying to the foot of the throne at the feet of the colonial premiers in conference assembled also.

MR. FOSTER AND THE INSURANCE COMMISSION.

A good deal of the time of the Dominion Parliament has been taken up in the discussion of the report of the Insurance Commission.

position as leader of the Conservative party.

But the fact that the reputation of individuals has been affected by the report is not of particular importance so long as the purpose for which the commission was appointed, the protection of the interests of multitudes insured—has been accomplished.

Among all the institutions which the Commission investigated there is no one in which the government's duty to insist on safety is more plain than in the case of an institution like the Foresters. Hundreds of thousands of families are vitally interested that its funds should be well managed and secured, as far as humanly may be, from loss.

He now claims that he in no sense occupied a position of trust with regard to the funds of the Foresters. He was not, he says, even a Forester.

At all events the public men of Great Britain cannot complain that Premier Deakin of Australia was not sufficiently outspoken. If he were correctly reported, Mr. Deakin aspires to lead the southern commonwealth into a condition not of independence within the Empire, but of independence without any qualification whatever.

The Commission would have been false to the duty with which it was charged if it had not exposed the fact that under the false face of the Union Trust Company the funds of the Foresters were imperilled.

Mr. Foster's defence, that no money was actually lost, is wholly beside the matter. Several of the transactions were highly speculative, and were such as are prohibited by law in the investment of trust funds.

The New York Post, which seems to take an almost savage delight in laying bare all the weaknesses of government by democracy tempered by the license allowed wealthy libertines and degenerates, thus refers to the result of the Thaw trial: "If we could not have a conviction of Thaw, the fact that seven jurymen stood out to the end for a verdict of murder in the first degree, is the next best thing."

except to disgust them. Even those of them who voted for acquittal did so in the belief that Thaw was insane. Thus all the heroics about the "unwritten law," dangerous in any case, wildly absurd in the present one, went for nothing.

Commenting on the article on the reduction of armaments by Professor Schiemann, published in Berlin, the Paris Figaro says: "If Professor Schiemann is this time, as he has been before, the echo of the Imperial voice, we are henceforth aware of the fate that awaits the proposal for disarmament. But the Imperial confidence does not confine himself to edifying us on this interesting point. He foretells the fate of the neighbors—and rivals of Germany. He predicts that the Powers which have colonies in Asia and Africa will lose those colonies, that Russia and France will have trouble in maintaining their situation in the Far East, that in the course of time England will no longer scoff at the news of the coronation of an Indian as Emperor of India, that the Boers will take the place of the British in South Africa, that in the United States the Anglo-Saxon will be ousted by the German element, and that changes are imminent in the Balkans.

No wonder the stomach of nature revolted against the goings-on in San Francisco.

NEWS OF HOUSE.

Considerable Business to Be Done Yet—Press Men Entertained.

The legislature will not likely finish its labors until Wednesday next, when prorogation will be reached. There are a number of bills yet to be put through and a few have just been introduced.

Last evening the members of the press gallery in the legislature were given a pleasant surprise by two of the Conservative members from the interior. An invitation was extended to them to have dinner with the members, J. H. Schofield, of Ymir, and H. G. Parson, of Columbia, and a pleasant time was spent at the Poodle Dog.

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OVER THE TEA TABLE

Mr. A. J. O'Reilly is back from a couple of months spent in Mexico.

Mrs. David Holmes, of Duncan, is spending a few days with friends in town.

Mrs. Todd and Miss Nellie Todd are staying at their country place at Sooke Lake.

Mr. Kenneth Schofield returned last night from New Westminster, where he attended his brother's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Roberts, of Duncan, are in town.

Mrs. D. M. Rogers is staying with Miss Mara.

St. Barnabas' church on Monday evening, April 15, was the scene of a pretty spring wedding when the nuptials were celebrated by Mr. Norman Hardie and Miss Maud Atkinson.

bridemaid, Miss V. Hardie, sister of the bridegroom, wore a most dainty dress of pale blue silk mull and smart white hat, trimmed with yellow roses, and carried a bouquet of yellow oris, which harmonized with the color scheme of decorations.

The happy couple discarded the time-honored coach and pair and departed for their honeymoon in an automobile amid showers of rice for the wharf, where the boat was taken to Skagway. The bride's going-away dress, Eton and skirt, was of purple lady's-cloth, trimmed smart hat to match.

The guests included: C. K. Courtenay, T. Johnston, W. S. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brookes, Mr. and Mrs. E. McCannan, Mrs. and Misses O'Keefe, Mrs. and Miss White, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Goward, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hardie, Miss E. G. Hardie, Miss B. Cameron, Miss Cooke, Mrs. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sweeney, Mrs. McFarlane, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Moresey, Mrs. W. Taylor, Miss Roberts, Miss McKenzie, Mr. D. Loeming, Mr. and Mrs. Fawcett, Mr. and Mrs. Child, D. M. McCannan, Miss Locke, L. S. V. Yorke, Mr. Spink, Mr. Palmer, Mrs. King, Miss W. Wilson, Rev. E. G. Miller, the Misses Nicholls, Miss J. Brown, Miss Lowe, Miss Brown, Mrs. Adams, Miss Mouat, Harry Nesbitt, the Misses Fraser, Mrs. and Mrs. Dalby, Mrs. Camassa, Miss Adams and Mrs. McQuade.

LADY GAY. Her philanthropy was on such a scale as to obscure her many other titles to respect and distinction.

Her husband was returned to parliament as member for Westminister a century after her father had triumphed at the same hustings.

LONG LIFE WAS DEVOTED TO CHARITY

Seventy years ago England was very busy asking the same question concerning two women, "What will she do with it?" The question applied to a Queen and a throne, to an heiress and a huge fortune.

England was stirred by the news of such a fortune falling into such young hands, and almost held its breath. Nearly two millions sterling in the absolute control of a young girl of 21! England made heroic efforts to comprehend what two millions of money really meant.

Not all disinterested, however, England poured its weight into the ear of the heiress, and showed her easily troubled could be ended by Miss Burdett-Coutts merely signing her name.

Such may be said of the life and character of the remarkable woman which, to the regret almost of mankind, came to its honored close recently.

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THE TIMES' FASHION HINT.



A brown and white check silk was used for the model pictured. The bodice of the gown showing little revers and small inset pieces of plain brown silk.

VILLAGE OF LONG LIVES. The remains of Mrs. Hannah Hunt, who has just died at Thornford, Dorsetshire, at the age of ninety-four years.

her grandfathers spoke with respect. His Majesty once referred to her as "a woman who, after my mother, is the most remarkable in the kingdom."

BABY'S FRIEND.

"Before I got Baby's Own Tablets my baby was troubled with colic and vomiting and cried night and day, and I was almost worn out."

POISONED BY PENCIL POINT.

An inquest was held at Shorncliffe on a little girl who fell on a lead pencil two months ago and received a small punctured wound in the forehead.

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WINDSOR LADY'S APPEAL.

To All Women: I will send free full instructions, my home treatment which positively cures Leucorrhoea, Ulceration, Displacements, Falling of the Womb, Painful or Irregular Periods, Uterine and Ovarian Tumors or growths, also Hot Flashes, Nervousness, Melancholy, Pains in the Head, Back or Bowels, Kidney and Bladder troubles where caused by weakness peculiar to our sex.

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MAYOR SEES MENACE TO CITY'S PROPERTY

Bill Introduced in Legislature He Believes Refers to Victoria and Sidney Railway

The Mayor and city officials, including the city solicitor, are much exercised over a bill which is now before the local House, to enable railways which have filed their plans, maps or books of reference with the government, to appropriate land or buildings for right of way. The city solicitor regards it as so inimical to the city's interests that the Mayor will call a public meeting to protest against it. In fact, all the weight of public opinion in the city, he believes should be brought to bear on the city members and the government to prevent its passage.

Speaking of the bill to a Times reporter this morning, Mr. Mann said some time after the city had tried to get the executive council to pass some exceptional legislation to enable the revocation of the Victoria and Sidney railway agreement, a bill was introduced to amend the B. C. Railway Act. The effect of this is claimed by the city solicitor and the city barrister, also to be that provincial railway companies should have their right of way by expropriation. A protest was lodged against this on behalf of the city, and it was explained that, though there was a similar provision in the Dominion Act its misuse was guarded against by the necessity of obtaining the consent of the Minister of Railways. Whereas in this bill no safeguards of any kind are provided.

The issue to be apprehended is the expropriation of public parks and municipal property. And in the case of Victoria & Terminal railways, they could appropriate at the present very depreciated value now existing caused by any portion of the market buildings.

Accordingly the council requested the city members to introduce a clause exempting municipal highways, public places and buildings in cities. In committee of the whole yesterday, the House refused to make this safeguarding exception.

On the report stage the members and government will be asked to put in a clause providing that no municipal property can be expropriated without the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

As the market building question and contract with the Victoria Terminal railway matter come before the courts for decision before the present very unsatisfactory state of things can be terminated, it is obvious that expropriation at the present very depreciated and involved condition would be a serious loss to the city. It is contended that the legislation can only be sought with some reference to a local railway as the bill only relates to provincial companies which have filed their plans and although challenged nobody has asserted otherwise.

CONVINCED SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT

Mr. Whyte Sees Urgent Need of Empress Hotel Opening at Earliest Moment.

The necessity of the Empress hotel opening at the earliest possible date was borne home on William Whyte, second vice-president of the C. P. R., and general manager of lines west of Winnipeg, by A. Cuthbert, secretary of the tourist association, yesterday. That the coming season would be a record one for tourist traffic, Mr. Whyte already believed, but the evidence which Mr. Cuthbert was able to adduce more than convinced him.

He promised that the opening of the new hotel would take place as soon as consistent. He thought this would be about July 1st.

Mr. Whyte expects to return to Vancouver, thence to Winnipeg, to-morrow.

WILL TOUR CONTINENT.

Dr. Theodore Barth, Member of German Reichstag, Will Visit States and Canada.

Berlin, April 20.—Dr. Theodore Barth, leader of one of the Radical parties in Germany, who recently returned from New York and Washington, from the latter city he will go west and later will visit Canada. It is Dr. Barth's intention to make a study of the most recent developments of American politics and social life with special reference to the relations of the great capitalists and politics. He will also study the immigration problem, inquiring how far the United States is succeeding in absorbing European immigrants.

FORT TOWNSEND NOTES.

(Special to the Times.)

Port Townsend, April 20.—Billie Chilmann, a prominent resident, jumped from a second story window in the Reception hotel to-day while delirious. He is suffering from concussion of the brain and paralysis and may die.

A sailor, Lagasco Peliero, belonging to the Italian ship Regina Elmo, fell from the rigging this morning and struck the vessel's railing, cutting the side of his face almost off. He may recover.

THE PLAGUE IN INDIA.

Seventy-Five Deaths Reported in One Week.

Slima, India, April 20.—There were 75,000 deaths from the plague in India in the week ending April 13.—Seventy thousand of these occurred in Bengal, the United Provinces and the Punjab. The epidemic began in the Punjab in October, 1897, and since then nearly 1,100,000 deaths have occurred.

PRINCIPAL SHAW.

Vancouver Loses in His Death a Scholar and a Popular Man.

An elderly, distinguished, in a telegraphic dispatch yesterday, James C. Shaw, for many years principal of the Vancouver High school and college, died after a lingering illness. Deceased, who was 64 years of age, had a brilliant college career. In 1883 he took his degree as B. A. at Dalhousie, winning honors as a gold medalist. The following year he became classical master at Pictou academy, Pictou, N. S. In 1889 and 1890 he acted as classical tutor at Dalhousie college. The next year he went to Harvard, where he spent two years, taking a post graduate course. His first experience in the West was as an assistant to Alexander Robinson, then principal of the Vancouver High school. In the course of time he became principal of the High school and the college in the Terminal City. While there he devoted his special attention to classics. He was a popular teacher in Vancouver.

JAPAN AND THE SUBLIME PORTE

Steamer Tartar Brings News of Endeavor to Establish Embassy at Constantinople.

The Sublime Porte is the one great capital in the world where Japan is not represented. The Turkish empire is not at present under the protection of the British ambassador in Constantinople. Japan will tolerate no half measures. She has given it to be plainly understood that she will consent to nothing less than that her representative and her subjects shall stand upon precisely the same footing as those of all other great powers.

The principal obstacle comes from the opposition of Russia, whose objection to find her adversary of the Far East confronting her also in the Sphoporus are at least intelligible. It is, however, believed in Japan that the negotiations will have a successful issue.

THE ENGLISH CUP.

Sheffield Wednesday Defeated Everton by Two Goals to One in Final Match.

(Associated Press.)

London, April 20.—Fully 60,000 enthusiastic admirers of football arrived in London to-day from as early as 3 o'clock in the morning on special trains from Yorkshire, Lancashire and Midland to witness the final game in the English cup ties at the Crystal Palace, between Everton and Sheffield Wednesday. With the contingents from the south the managers estimated that fully 80,000 persons came to London to see the game. The metropolis furnished its full quota, bringing the total number of spectators up to about 100,000.

Sheffield kicked off and scored a goal within 20 minutes. Everton then became the aggressor, but Sheffield put up a fine defence, and it was not until just before the end of the first half that the holders of the cup were able to equalize matters.

At what is known in football here as a "three-quarter time," the score was unchanged. During the last quarter both sides put in their best work. There were many exciting rushes, but the teams were so evenly matched that neither was able to score for some time. Then one of the Sheffield forwards got the ball, and with a well directed kick won a second goal. Everton was unable to score after that, and Sheffield captured the coveted trophy.

The defeat of the holders of the cup, who were strong favorites, led to the wildest scenes of excitement. Lord Chief Justice Alverstone presented the cup to the winners.

PISTOL DUEL.

Two Men Killed in a Fight in a Duel in Kentucky.

Owensboro, Ky., April 20.—Wm. Gooch and Harry Wright, union miners, engaged in a pistol duel in Sturgis, near here, last night, and both were shot to death.

SNOW IN COLORADO.

Colorado Springs, Col., April 20.—Ten inches of snow fell last night and the storm continues to-day. Although there has been some damage to fruit by reason of the cold weather, this is small in comparison to the benefit to the farming land in eastern Colorado, where the dry farming system is in vogue. Ranchers are delighted with the prospects for a big crop as a result.

PERSONALS.

The Rev. Father Donckele, recently appointed pastor of St. Mary's church, Victoria West, underwent last week a very serious operation at St. Joseph's hospital. It will be a pleasure for his numerous friends to learn that the reverend gentleman is recovering rapidly.

Mr. J. A. Linders, who has been absent in California for some months, has returned to the city. His many friends will be glad to hear that his return is complete, and that he is well and contented and was somewhat delayed en route.

Alf. Hustwick, late of the Times staff, has returned to Victoria after a three months' tour in Mexico and the Southern States.

J. F. Bledsoe, manager for the Royal Guarantee & Trust Co., has resigned his position.

Miss Gibson has returned from (numbered) after an eight-week professional visit.

NEW DEPARTMENT OF COLONIAL OFFICE

Is Favored By Premiers-Imperial Conferences To Be Held Every Four Years.

(Associated Press.)

London, April 20.—The colonial conference to-day's session unanimously agreed to support the creation of a new permanent department of the colonial office with an independent secretary to deal with matters of general Imperial interest, and also decided to hold Imperial conferences every four years, the new department dealing with questions arising at intervals between the conferences.

A central staff, whose duty will be to deal with matters of Imperial defence, will also be constituted and include representatives of all the self-governing colonies.

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES.

Ottawa, April 19.—The supplementary estimates which came down to-night amount to \$12,000,000.

Costs items include the following: Grand-bridge, public building, \$300,000; Darcy Island, leper station, quarters for lepers, \$300,000; Nelson, public building, \$300,000; including \$200,000; Queen's public buildings, \$2,000,000; Quebec, public buildings, \$2,000,000; Immigration building, \$2,000,000; Victoria, \$2,000,000; Fraser river wharves, \$2,000,000; Fraser river, protective works, \$2,000,000; Vancouver, \$2,000,000; Courtney river improvements, \$2,000,000; Fraser river, ship channel improvements, \$2,000,000; Fraser river wharves, \$2,000,000; Fraser river, protective works at Matsqui, local government contributing an equal amount, \$2,000,000; Kootenay river, removal of boulders from channel between Kootenay Landing and the international boundary, \$2,000,000; Pitt river, substitution of a 30-foot through truss for original 22-foot truss of draw span on C. P. R. bridge, inclusive of necessary works, \$1,500,000; Quatsino, wharf on north side of Inlet, \$1,500,000; Salmon Arter, Shuswap lake, wharf, \$1,000,000; Woods and Long lakes, Alaskan district, wharf, \$1,000,000; between these lakes, etc., \$500,000; telegraph lines in British Columbia, additional amount to provide for proportion of cost of maintaining the Parksville, Alberni and Cape Beale line, to be borne by the Dominion government under joint arrangement with the C. P. R. company, \$1,500,000; Alberni-Clayton line, \$1,500,000; Alberni-Clayton line, branch line from Toquart to Sechart, \$1,100,000; Ashcroft-Queensell section of Yukon main line, part repaid, \$500,000; Namaimo-Comox line, part repaid, \$500,000; poles beyond Quatsino, \$2,000,000; Quatsino-Harkerville line, to complete repairs, \$2,000,000; Salt Spring Island, telephone line, extension to Pelee Island, \$1,500,000; telegraphic communication between Vancouver and Denman and Hornby Islands, \$250,000; Victoria-Cape Beale line, improvements, \$1,500,000; Vernon-Loganville telegraphic line, \$1,700,000; Yukon telegraph system, Port Simpson branch, extension of line beyond Aberdeen to Fort Simpson, \$1,700,000; line from Hoodaliqua to Livingston creek, \$4,000,000; grant to local council for roads in Yukon territory, \$100,000; grant to the Dominion government, to aid steamers making prospecting trips on rivers in Yukon which are not usually travelled, \$300,000; a further amount for salaries in connection with the Yukon Indian fund, \$200,000; two months' gratuity for Mrs. Kate Gulliver, \$300,000; amount for schools, \$5,500; further amount for hospital and ambulance and medicines, \$2,800; amount for Yukon Indians, \$5,500; further amount for miscellaneous and unforeseen additional for the Yukon, \$200,000; communication between Port Eslington and Fort Simpson, \$200,000; monthly steam communication between Prince Rupert and Jedway, Queen Charlotte Islands, \$700,000.

Estimates are to be erected in Ottawa to Haldin and Lafontaine, to cost \$100,000 each. Forty additional railway clerks are to be appointed for the Yukon. Additional stores taken over at Esquimaux and Hazelton are \$200,000. A million, and a half is expended on new rolling stock for the International railway.

—Steamer Princess Victoria left Vancouver at 1 o'clock, connecting with the train from the East.

—Steamer Camosun sailed for the north this afternoon with sixty passengers and sixty-five tons of freight.

—A bright gospel service is held at the W. C. T. U. mission every Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Everyone invited. A good programme is provided by the W. C. T. U.

—George Osborne, half brother to J. W. Rowlands, died this morning at St. Joseph's hospital. The deceased was 55 years of age and a native of Kent, England. He was a pioneer of this province, coming here in 1850. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow and three children. The remains were removed to the home of his mother, Mrs. Osborne, this morning. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 1 o'clock from the family residence, Burnside road, and later St. John's church.

HALF MILLION DAMAGE.

Fire For a Time Threatened to Destroy Shipyard at Genoa.

(Associated Press.)

Genoa, Italy, April 20.—Fire to-day threatened to destroy the Odero shipyard here, one of the largest in Italy, but the Bremen, assisted by other firemen, succeeded in obtaining control of the situation after damage to the amount of about \$500,000 had been done.

FIVE AUSTRAINS KILLED.

Denison, Ia., April 20.—The fast mail on the Illinois Central, run from Fort Dodge to Omaha, ran down a handcar near Ellis, twelve miles north of here, killing instantly five Austrians of a surfacing gang for the road. The Austrians were on a bridge when the train ran them down.

TWO-CENT POSTAGE RATE.

St. Paul, Minn., April 20.—The Great Northern railroad yesterday decided to accept the two-cent passenger fare and commodity rate schedule passed by the legislature. The other roads will probably take similar action. Both laws go into effect May 1st.

An average man needs 1,600 pounds weight of food yearly.

THE SEPULTURE OF TAR GOOL SINGH

Manx Whales Were Captured.

The C. P. R. steamer Tees, Capt. Townsend, which replaced the Queen City on the west coast run, arrived in Port last evening after a voyage during which she had passed through splendid weather. She had been on her way to Clayoquot.

News brought news that during the past week the Orion, operating from the Sechart whaling station, had been very busy. Ten mammals had been taken and a further telegram received this forenoon reports that five more have been captured since yesterday afternoon. The splendid weather that has ensued has enabled the quarry to be pursued under the most auspicious conditions, and hence the large captures within the last few days. To cope with these catches, the plant at Sechart is being enlarged. Extra workmen have arrived on the scene and a period of whaling activity is promised on the west coast this summer that has never been equalled since hunting was commenced in these waters.

In charge of Constable McDougall of Clayoquot, seven men belonging to the sealers along the coast were brought to Victoria on board the Tees. They were sentenced to serve various terms in the provincial jail, six of them for refusing to obey orders on the high seas, and the other two on the charges of the crew of the Ida Etta, for assault.

The Tees will sail again for the west coast to-night on this occasion going as far as Cape Scott.

SPokane Arrives.

For the first time since striking the rocks off Tatum's, the steamer Spokane, of the Pacific Steamship company, arrived in port this morning. Owing to strong north-westerly winds and a heavy sea, which the vessel encountered, she was half a day late in reaching Victoria. The following passengers were landed here: Mr. L. R. and Mrs. G. R. Ritchie, Stephen Freeman, J. S. O'Connor, W. Wright, Elizabeth Hickie, Geo. Cassenden and wife, Roy Cassaden, A. Ormond, J. A. Ormond, E. Woodbury, P. E. Grant, Wm. C. Grant, G. C. Bancroft, M. W. Hancock, W. M. Denison, Clayton Geelvey, Dick Wehrus, D. M. Picken, P. Payne, T. Hall, D. Mung, J. Murphy, J. McCallum and wife, Fred A. Genex, Wm. Bell, Albert Smith and wife.

TRIAL RUN.

Achieving a splendid trial run during which she averaged 13 knots an hour, the little quarantine steamer Madag, built by the B. C. Marine Railway Co., is now ready to be placed in commission. Some fifteen were on board during the trial run when the little vessel started from the wharf at Esquimaux. After clearing the bar, the steamer made good headway, riding over a light swell which prevailed in a most seaworthy fashion. From Race Rocks she made for Trial Island and then for the head of the Strait. At that point she returned to Esquimaux. In all she was out over five hours, and during that time covered upwards of 40 miles. Owing to being busy engaged at William head quarantine station, Dr. Watt was unable to be present on the trial run. The following passengers were highly pleased with the behaviour of the vessel.

INVERRAMSAY SAILS.

Towed by the tug Lorne the British sailing ship Inverramsay left the Royal Roads last night for Tacoma. The Inverramsay is the vessel which was towed into the port of Esquimaux by the steam whaler St. Lawrence. For the last week she has lain in the Royal Roads as the question of the amount of salvage money due to the owners of the whaler had to be decided upon. The tug Lorne and the British ship Inverramsay were the property of the Inverramsay & Co. of London. The matter, a sum of close upon \$2,000 was finally settled. This was paid to the Pacific Whaling Company, and the Inverramsay was able to get away from these waters last night.

PILOTAGE RATES LOWERED.

It was decided at a board meeting of the Victoria Pilotage Committee, held on Thursday, to reduce its rates from between 20 to 23 per cent. By the change pilotage charges will in the future be levied on both draught and tonnage, and not as before on draught alone. On vessels of light tonnage this will mean considerable reduction. Eight-foot steamers will be charged about 25 per cent, less than at present. The new ruling will apply to all coasting vessels, the rates on ocean liners remaining the same. As soon as the government of this province approves of the change it will become effective.

VISIT TO SHEYDIAH.

In company with Capt. Troup, Wm. Whyte, second vice-president of the C. P. R., visited the B. C. Marine Railway Company's works at Esquimaux yesterday. His object was to look over the plans for the new vessel for the C. P. R. coast fleet, which is now nearing completion in those yards. Work is being rapidly carried on in connection with the Princess, and it is understood that she will be ready for her trial trip during the month of July.

MANUKA EN ROUTE.

Replacing the steamship Misawa on the Victoria-Sydney run, the Canadian-Australian liner Manuka sailed from Brisbane on Wednesday for this port, according to advices received. The Manuka is the new vessel for the C. P. R. coast fleet, which is now nearing completion in those yards. Work is being rapidly carried on in connection with the Princess, and it is understood that she will be ready for her trial trip during the month of July.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, April 20.—Hon. J. W. Templeman's bill creating a department of mines was read a third time in the House to-day.

DOCTORS DON'T KNOW ALL.

When they say asthma is incurable they only think so. Every day bad cases are cured by Chlorophanes. This scientific treatment is a perfect success. Try Chlorophanes.

R. B. SKINNER DEAD.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, April 20.—R. B. Skinner, formerly head of F. Buscombe & Co., died yesterday in New York.

Marmalade, then made only of quinces, was known in Henry VIII's reign. The word is derived from "mermel," a quince.

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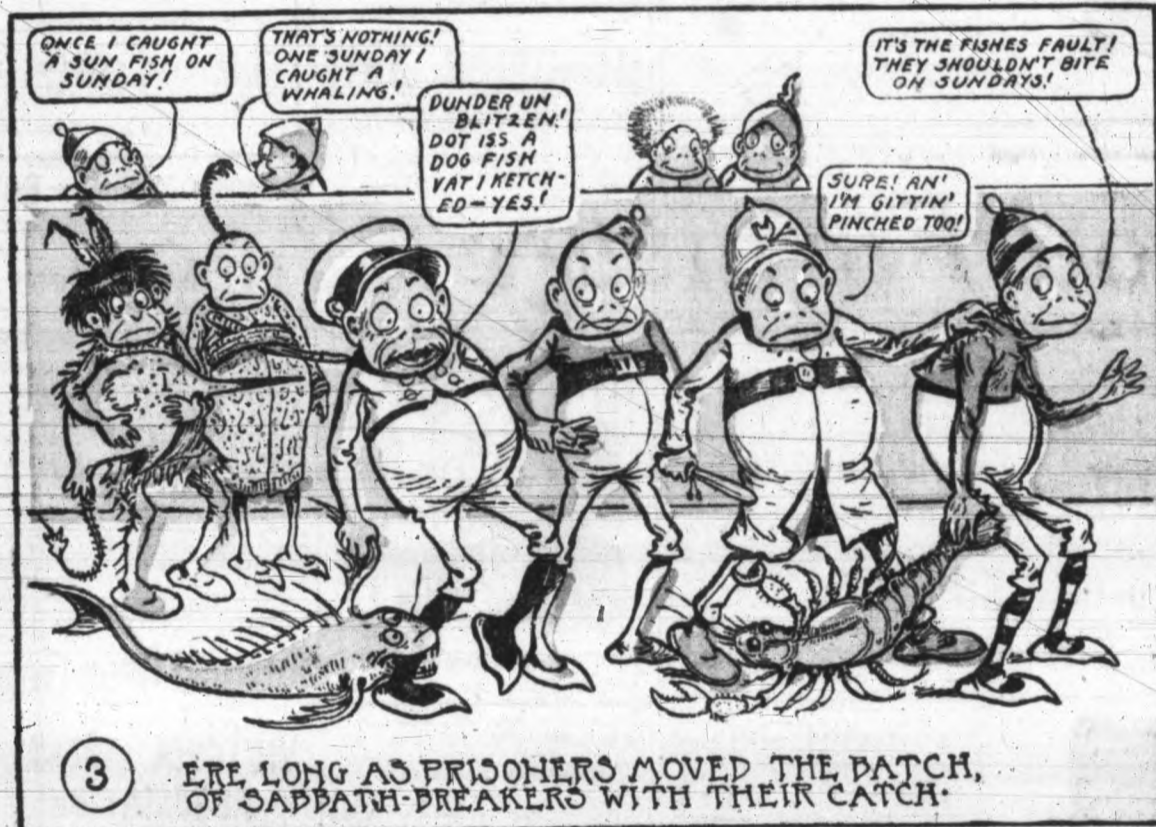
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paration of forthcoming portivals, and has then studied the effect of the resulting product at first nights and at subsequent performances.

Mr. Whiteside has been an intimate friend of the late Sir Henry Irving, and has watched his work with interest and profit. He has studied carefully the methods of the late Adelaide Ristori, and has analyzed her success. He has dissected the art of Richard Mansfield and has found much therein to profit him, he has been a close student of Poissard, Coquelin, Bernhardt, Sonnenthal, Duse, Rejane, Novelli, Tomasso, Salvini and countless others, and from each he has gleaned some bit of knowledge that has helped him to mould his own destiny to his needs.

Some years ago in St. Paul, Mr. Whiteside had been playing "The Merchant of Venice" at the Metropolitan opera house, and on the morning after his first performance a card was brought to him at his hotel. It was from the veteran Sol Smith Russell. Mr. Whiteside dressed hastily and descended to where his visitor was awaiting him. He went over to where the old actor was standing and introduced himself.

"There must be some mistake," said Mr. Russell, "the man I called for is the actor who played Shylock last night."

Mr. Whiteside finally convinced his visitor that he was indeed the man and then they talked. The first question Mr. Russell asked was:

"Where did you serve your apprenticeship?"

And then Mr. Whiteside told him, He related how he had sat in a dimly lit theatre watching Irving stage a play, how he had gone to the bare stages and watched while Bernhardt moulded a character here and there until the perfect art was revealed; how he had sought out the world's greatest players and studied them at close range and had talked to them, and how he had

called a bit by experience here and there; how he had learned what to avoid and what to adapt, and how he had brought himself, mind free and of his own conviction to the understanding of a character.

Mr. Russell smiled and said: "I don't know but that has been my own experience, young man. I never was so mentally arranged that I could brook direction. Now I understand what I felt when I saw your performance at it struck me then, that I was watching the workings of a mind that had been untrammelled in its imaginings."

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It rose and fell in lingering melody;
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The soul of music bore my soul away
On wings of phantasy, until a gleam
More splendid than the rosy dawn of day,
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Swift as a god I thundered through the dawn,
Apollo rains in my immortal hands;
I was the wind, and dove, with breath forlorn,
Dead leaves and rain-clouds over winter lands;
My song of death slow-shuddering through a lowering morn.

I was a breaker rolling to the shore,
And dashing high to kiss the cliff with spray;
I was a rainbow, faintly arching o'er
The land in transient glory; far away,
As I stepped in dreamy pain, the shimmering ocean lay.

So, flushed with visions, soared my spirit still;
Swayed by your rushing flow of melody
That upward stole, and ever upward, till
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The New Grand. The closing performances of this week's bill at the New Grand will be given to-night, a most pleasing and satisfactory programme having drawn big business all week. It includes Archie Boyd in the rural play, "After Many Years," assisted by Harry Knowles; Harry F. Stanfield, comedian and mimic; the Bennett Sisters, singers and dancers; Harrington, violinist; Marie Sparrow, comedienne; Geo. F. Keane, in illustrated song, and the moving pictures.

Next week's bill will be headed by one of the most expensive and sensational acts that has yet been booked for the local vaudeville house. This is the Baker troupe of comedy and acrobatic bicyclists, composed of four men and one woman. Myron Baker is the originator of the famous cycle whirl which caused such a sensation in this country and abroad. The present act is entirely away from any other cycle act. The Bakers begin where most of the others have left off, and their trick and fancy riding, culminating in a swift circling of the stage by the quintette mounted on one bicycle, is something no one should miss seeing next week. Two of the men are exceptionally clever comedians. Another feature act will be that of Nan Engleton and her company of one man and a dummy, who will present the original playlet, "How the Widow Was Won." This is an entertaining and amusing skit in which Miss Engleton as Mrs. Fairfield, the widow, and Myron Leffingwell as Colonel Leeds, both enact their parts well. Miss Engleton has been prominent for a long time in the drama, and her advent into vaudeville has won for her many warm welcomes all along the line. Billy Arnold and Lida Gardner are a minstrel team, Arnold appearing in black-face and Miss Gardner, who is a noted male impersonator, as a Broadway swell. Gil Brown is a monologist and dancer who

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London, April 20.—An admirable proposal from every point of view is that which has grown out of the recent South African exhibition in London. It is nothing less than a suggestion that an exhibition should be held which would embrace the whole of our British colonies. No better opportunity for testing the attitude of the different colonial governments towards such a scheme could have arisen than that of the visit of the premier, and they will be approached—officially, of course—with a view to obtaining their opinion on the project. There can hardly be very much doubt on this point, however. Such an exhibition could not fail to give a great impetus to trade within the Empire. From all one hears, the most serious difficulty in the way would seem to be the improbability of finding a suitable building in London. The idea is to have a British Empire exhibition in the fullest sense of the term, and it would, therefore, have to be on an enormous scale. It is yet a matter for future consideration whether India would be included, but if it were it would add tremendously to the scheme. Should enthusiasm mark the acceptance of the suggestion when it is put before our premier guests, there is no doubt that all difficulties will be immediately swept aside. Further developments are awaited with much interest.

Parliament has risen for the Easter recess and few will regret the departure of legislators who have given us the duldest session on record. Except for the excitement caused by suffragette raids on the House, utter lifelessness can be put down as the most marked characteristic of the House since it assembled some months since. To some extent it must be admitted that the fault lay in the nature of the business transacted. Routine occupied the House and routine is notoriously dull. But even admitting this, there is a changed atmosphere at Westminster. Old parliamentarians have observed and commented on it and their opinion is doubtless the true one—that mediocrity is the prevailing characteristic of the members of the present government. There are no brilliant men and scintillating wit is conspicuous by its absence. Even the Irish members must perform a dull, with a government which regards them with placid amiability and which has, apparently, nothing but the best intentions towards them. The ever-ready retort and the crushing sarcasms they were wont to indulge in would be sadly out of place.

The Channel tunnel scheme is dead. It was indeed at drowning point when the government threw its last douches of cold water on it, and now it has sunk out of sight for the present. That it will come bobbing up again at some future date is tolerably certain. Meantime the promoters of the scheme have been compelled to alter their plans. They had arranged a series of meetings throughout the country with the idea of exhibiting their neatly made model of the tunnel in the big provincial centres, in the hope of rousing enthusiasm. This part of the programme has been abandoned, however, but their energy has not been daunted in the least and their confidence in the ultimate success of the scheme remains undisturbed. They intend to do their utmost to convert public opinion to the international advantages of the much talked of tunnel, whatever the views of the committee of experts may be on the subject.

Our reputation as an amiable nation must be kept up at all costs and we certainly make great efforts at carrying out the biblical injunction to "love our enemies." Not that we look upon the Russians as our enemies, by any means, though the "Digger Ban" incident ruffled the British lion's mane

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variably levelled at the driver, who is ineffectually trying to make a motor go, when it obstinately refuses to move. The taximeter cabs are very welcome, however, and give a smart and up-to-date appearance to our streets. They are eight-horse power and can seat four persons. The drivers wear greyish uniforms and red caps and the cabs themselves are red. They have altogether quite a foreign effect, and for the present Londoners are inclined to look upon them something in the light of a new toy.

Fashion Hints. Hats are very pretty this year, and the shapes vary so much that there is scarcely any kind that would look conspicuous. Some charming wide-brimmed chip and leghorn hats are perhaps the most popular at present, and there is a downward tendency to nearly all the brims except those which are caught back smartly. A hat of the latter description, with the crown turned right up and back under a velvet bow, under which three ostrich feathers were placed, which rise over the hat and fall free over the back, there was no other trimming but a band of velvet round the crown. But this is a dower season and most people content themselves with decorations of blossoms, of which there are endless varieties, for headgear. As a matter of fact there is nothing distinctive about this year's millinery and with regard to it every eye may form its own beauty. The result is not always strikingly successful we are bound to say.

LESSON FOR ENGLAND. How South Australia is Dealing with the Land.

By J. Ramsay Macdonald, M. P.

If there is in the whole world a City of the Peaceful Soul it is Adelaide, which lies like a leisurely-cultured man at ease under the shadows of his orange groves at the foot of his hills. There is an air of the forethought and mechanical precision of the philosophic Radicalism of its founders about its broad streets and encircling parks. You are not surprised to find in sober history that Adelaide is the city child of Colonel Torrens, Gibbon Wakefield, Rowland Hill, George Grote, Sir W. Molesworth and others of the same school, and that it was cared for in its infancy by Colonel Light, one of the most romantic of men and wisest of surveyors-general. Adelaide might be the Athens of Australia, in its gardens the owl of Minerva might well roost; to its keeping might be entrusted the lures and penates of the new Australian people. Learning, wisdom, domesticity: these are the virtues which greet you only by the policy of close settlement.

Dispossessing the Landlord. We went with them up and down winding roads amongst the hills, and whenever we came to a valley it was nurturing its little home and shading it with fig and orange trees, or spreading vineyards around it, or backing it with rich, sloping strawberry fields. Hour after hour we whizzed through these smiling places. Sometimes we passed a school (we went into one and saw a score of the rosiest and shyest lumps that ever larked in a wood), sometimes we came upon a burial ground which enriched the landscape with sorrow, sometimes we detected the tragedy of fruitless toil, and this only enhanced the peace and beauty of the land with sadness.

On the morrow the minister of lands joined our party. "You think," he said, "this is a vast country, and that there is plenty of room for every man, woman and child who may come to Australia for generations. This continent is one of nearly 3,000,000 square miles. It only has 4,000,000 people, and yet land monopoly has made itself felt. We have had to dispossess the landlord in order to build these homes."

"Now," said my guides, drawing up by the roadside, "look on this and on that." This was an orchard imperfectly seen through a hedge over which rose tall pine trees; that, was a grass-grown flat which had lain unutilized, save that sheep had grazed over it, since its original rum trees had been burned and rooted up.

"I have done it all myself," said the man, "made the bricks, built the house, dug the ground, planted the trees, made the tank, and sunk the well. I lived in a tent here first of all, working at my trade by day and building my home in the evenings. It was hard at first, but it is Paradise now."

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

A DREAMER'S DOWNFALL.

The International Sunday-School Lesson for April 21-18: "Joseph and His Brothers, Gen. xxxvii, 5-28. The Golden Text is: "For Where Envy and Strife is, There is Confusion and Every Evil Work." James iii. 16.

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

This is the dreamer's day. For a decade or two the dreamers of dreams had a lovely time of it; materialism was master and riches reigned. But this could not last. Throughout the new world there is to-day a revival of idealism which expresses itself in cleaner politics, saner, more honest finance, and a general pursuit of the noble human goals concerning which the best of men have ever dreamed, and for which they have hoped. The merely rich man, disgraced, is in the sack ground to-dry, while those who see visions of humanity's betterment are to the fore.

The oldest of the stories of those who dared to dream, and then to transform their dreams into actuality is the familiar one of the romance of Joseph's son. The experiences of Joseph are one of all childhood's ineffaceable memories; and they are character-making material for childhood idealism. Joseph, the one prominent Old Testament character to whose detriment nothing is related, is a type of "success that fits in with the mood of the hour."

A Story of "Success." If success consists in the qualities of a man's own nature, then the man who dreams must be accorded a palm. For it is no small prize to be able to see, amid sordid and ungenial surroundings, the better lot that is ready only to the eye of imagination. The confessed curse of the lives of many immensely rich men is that they have lost their power to dream. The faculty of spiritual vision has been atrophied by a grubbing among base metals and base men. The dreamer however, barren his environment, can always enjoy himself, which is more than can be said of many persons upon whom other enjoyments have begun to fail. This art of carrying one's own world about in one's spirit is assuredly to be rated as a success in itself; for what shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul?

Young Joseph dreamed; and the lad of seventeen was the father of the man who, with imperial vision, dreamed food for a famine-stricken land. Just as David, the shepherd boy, put into his manhood's battles and immortal songs, the "long, long thoughts" which came to him in the lonely hours of visit by the sheep, and as the Boy of Nazareth imbued images and parables, which later clothed the world's loftiest teaching, so Joseph, out in the field with his father's flocks, enduring the rigors and hardships of an oriental shepherd's lot, wove into the fibre of his life those purposes and ideals which were destined one day to make him Joseph the Great.

Whatever goes into boyhood comes out of manhood; the state which permits its youth to be stunted by child-labor, debased by permitted vices, little and big, is inevitably laying up suffering for itself. One of the most wholesome signs of the re-assertion of a moral sense in the country is the stress that is being laid upon the necessity for laws restricting child-labor.

Some Hurt Feelings. Joseph's dreams were audacious. They hurt his brother's feelings, as the world always resents a rebuke to its own omnipotence. Had the boy been less guileless and more tactful, he would have kept his dreams to himself. His dreams of seven sheaves bowing down to his sheaf, and of sun, moon and the eleven stars making obeisance to him, penetrated the pride of his brothers. But the dreamer, the daring, the strong, are more aware of their own superiority than any body else; to hide this behind mock modesty betrays weakness. The strong know their power; it is theirs to use, and they should be bold to use it best. No mistaken consideration for the prejudices or pride or sensitiveness of people should stand in the way of a man's exercise of his fullest capabilities. "The longer I live," said an eminent public man who is making a stir in the world to me recently. "I am convinced that the one quality most important in life, next to honesty, courage, the man who is forever stooping to consider what people will say, is not going to do very much in the world." Of course the person who dares to have great dreams will be criticised; that has ever been the lot of great

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dreamers, since most people instead of doing things themselves, think they show their superiority by finding fault with those who do. This latter trait is a universal mark of the second-rate; the mere fault-finder is no benefactor to the world and no joy to himself.

"Behold, the dreamer cometh," scoffed Joseph's brothers. They despised him for his finer qualities which they could not comprehend. The gross feeling that they have a grievance against the spiritual, they envied him because he enjoyed their father's special favor, as revealed by the long coat with sleeves. He was not the first nor the last to be hated because he was loved. Jacob was doubtless unwise in manifesting his partiality toward Joseph; a just parent can have no favorites among his children. His special delight in this high-spirited, clean-souled dreamer is none the less understandable; and like his remote descendant, Mary, he pondered in his heart the sayings of his wonderful son.

Another cause for jealousy had the brothers; Joseph knew himself to be superior to them, and their own hearts confirmed his conviction. In our unappreciated days we fondly believe that all hands are outstretched to help a struggling one on toward excellence; but by contact with life's realities we learn that there are more hands ready to pull down than to lift up the aspiring. There adheres in most human natures a really diabolical streak which rejoices in the downfall of the high or the rising, and which finds in a neighbor's success occasion only for jealousy and detraction, and not for rejoicing.

Joseph early found, what most other successful persons learned, that envy, back-biting, and enmity are factors to be reckoned with in life.

A Rising Young Man. It is easier to put a person of parts into a hole than to keep him there. So Joseph's brothers found, after their jealous plottings had resulted in throwing their fathers' pride into a cistern. Only Reuben seems to have had any compunctions concerning this course; possibly because he felt his responsibility as the oldest son, or more probably because he was of softer, more sympathetic disposition, one who could do a deed of shame but not one of blood. He tried to thwart the murderous plan of the others. Note that he did not openly controvert his brothers' evil will, or fight for his principles; he sought rather to gain his ends by guile, and so suggested that the dreamer be thrown into one of the numerous empty cisterns that abounded in the country, expecting to return secretly and release him. The deed was a foul one, more foul than its perpetrators realized. What conception had they, in their coarse souls, of the horror to a young man of imagination, of being imprisoned alive in that cistern, like a rat in a jug? "These tanks for storing water being so narrow at the mouth that a single stone will cover them, and widening below into a large subterranean room, from prisons from which escape is impossible," says Dr. Robertson. "The pit was empty; therefore," remarks Marcus Dodds. "he was not drowned, but was left to die the most appalling of deaths, under the ground, sinking in mire, his flesh creeping at the touch of his fingers slimy creatures, in darkness, alone. This, then, was what had come of his dreams!"

The coarseness of these inhuman brothers appears in two of their subsequent actions. While Joseph in the cistern pleaded for release, they unmoved by his cries, sat down to eat the very food he had brought them. Men of any sensibilities would have lost their appetites in the presence of that foul deed, and within the sounds of a young brother's cries. Again the brutality of that curse of giving Joseph's coat in a kid's blood, to deceive their father into believing that his darling son had been torn and killed by wild beasts argues a coarse feeling and unfeeling streak in their dispositions which is well-nigh incredible. That they should

be liars as well as murderers is not remarkable, since one sin begets another. Many Routes to the Right Goal. Whatever betrays a true man, bent on high aims, always turns out to his betterment. Although Joseph did not know it, that hole in the dark cistern was the shortest route to the fulfillment of his dreams. Had events moved prosperously with him, had he remained at home as he petted, spoiled son of his father, he might have become another scheming Jacob, or that pathetic figure, an idle, nervous dreamer, without force to transmute his dreams into realities. A hard lot makes a hard life; it needs the rod of that stern schoolmaster, adversity, to bring most men up to amount to anything. Facile was the road to real liberty for Joseph.

No credit was due to the brothers for all this; God is constantly using unwitting, unwilling, wicked men to accomplish his ends. These brothers, with the family mercenary, saw in the approach of a caravan of Middle Eastern merchants, an opportunity to dispose of Joseph and to turn a bit of money into their own hands. Thus it was that even as Judas later sold his Master for thirty pieces of silver, these sons of Jacob sold their own flesh and blood into slavery for twenty pieces of silver. They little imagined that they were helping to fulfil the very dreams they meant to punish and thwart; but then, men have never learned that it is vain to try to thwart the purposes of God for other men.

Even Joseph himself, as he was borne, bound and humiliated, Egyptward, could not foresee that he was en route to his throne.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES.

WISDOM'S STOREHOUSE.

These Comments on the Uniform Prayer Meeting Topic of the Young People's Societies for April 21st, "Wise Ways to Read Wise Books,"—Prov. iv, 1-19.

By William T. Ellis. The man who is fond of books is usually a man of lofty thought and of elevated opinions.—Dawson.

Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body. As by the one, health is preserved, strengthened, and invigorated, by the other virtue is kept alive, cherished and confirmed.—Addison.

The words of the wise are like a staff in a slippery place.—Hindu Sayings.

Read not to confuse and contradict, nor to believe and take for granted, nor to find talk and discourse, but to weigh and consider. Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested, that is, some books are to be read, but not curiously; and some few to be read wholly, and with diligence and attention.—Bacon.

The Bible thoroughly known is a literature of itself—the rarest and richest in all departments of thought or imagination which exists.—Froide.

Half the growth of society would perish if the books that are truly worth reading were not read.—Dawson.

The first time I read an excellent book it is to me just as if I had gained a new friend; when I read over a book I have perused before, it resembles the meeting with an old one.—Goldsmith.

All rests with those who read. A work of thought is what each makes it to himself, and may be of great dark meanings, like the sea. With shoals of life rushing. —Bailey.

The love of books is a love which requires neither justification, apology, nor defence.—Langford.

Who reads incessantly, and to his reading brings put a spirit and judgment equal or superior. Uncertain and undefined. Deep versed in books and shallow in himself. Crude or intoxicating, collecting toys And trifles for choice matters, worth a sponge.

As children gathering pebbles on the shore. —Milton.

No matter what his rank or position may be, the lover of books is the richest and the happiest of the children of men.—Langford.

"Is the good reader that makes the good book; a good head cannot read amiss; in every book he finds passages which seem confidences or wisdom hidden from all else, and unmistakably meant for his ear.—Emerson.

The foundation of knowledge must be laid by reading. General principles must be had from books, which, however, must be brought to the test of real life.—Johnson.

In books lies the soul of the whole past time. All that mankind has done, thought, gained, or been, it is lying as in magic preservation in the pages of books. —Carlyle.

We search the world for truth; we cull The good, the pure, the beautiful. From graven stone and written scroll, From all old flower-fields of the soul, Ah! weary seekers of the best. We come back laden from our quest To find that all the silver said Is in the Book our mothers read. —Whittier.

NEWS AND NOTES

The first New Testament in Hebrew was printed in 1885. The demand for this has been so great that 500,000 has been issued up to the present time.

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of 12,000,000 hearers in its hall meetings; of 12,000,000 meals for the hungry; 4,000,000 bottles for the thirsty; 100,000,000 victims of relief to families in distress. The leader—his Army, General Booth, is now particularly interested in his latest plan for the downcast, his anti-suicide bureau.

By the terms of Dowie's will none of his personal fortune is to be given to Zion City and the Christian Catholic church, unless Yolla, Dowie's successor, is removed from his present position.

The Chinese Yale, supported by funds given by Yale men, and established last November in China, has been given the name Yi-Li, because of its similarity to the name of the parent institution.

Many famous men were among the speakers at the peace conference, held in New York City, April 14th-17th. Among them were Bishop Potter, Andrew Carnegie, William T. Stead, with others equally well known in the world of religion and philanthropy.

Mrs. Russell Sage has set aside the sum of \$10,000 to be known as the Sage Foundation, "for the improvement of social and living conditions in the United States." Only the Indians in to be used, and the scope of the work is to be extremely broad, including research, educational and charitable work.

An interesting decision has recently been rendered by the Justice of the Supreme court in Nebraska, when two liquor dealers were fined \$50 each for selling beer in bottles decorated with the national colors. It is the opinion of the court the verdict was sustained on the ground that the flag should be protected from degradation.

The presentation of Bibles to the members of the graduating class at West Point is an annual event at that institution. At the service which was held on March 14th of this year one hundred and eleven Bibles were distributed. These included the Oxford, American and Douay versions. The American Tract Society is the donor. About one-third of the entire corps of students systematically study the Bible in the nineteen classes which meet regularly each week taught by the upper classmen.

The American churches are to be visited during this present month by Rev. Thomas Law, the secretary of the Free church council of Great Britain. This is the organization which pays "Gypsy Smith" an annual salary as its official missionary. The success of the work of Gypsy Smith, of the Free Church, has called forth such insistent demands for his prolonged stay in this country, that Mr. Law has come to the United States to decide, whether conditions really warrant his continuance in the work here, and whether he is needed here more than in England.

SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS
You cannot enter the presence of another human being without finding there more to thank you for, or I, or any soul, will ever learn to do perfectly before he die. Let us be content to do little, if God sets us at little tasks.—Charles Kingsley.

Who is the patriot? It is he Who knows no boundary, race, or creed. Whose nation is humanity. Whose countrymen all souls that need. —Frederick Lawrence Knowles.

There is in man a higher than love of happiness; he can do without happiness, and instead thereof find blessedness.—Thomas Carlyle.

A noble mind disdaineth not to repeat.—Home.

The truly excellent character is made up of strictness towards oneself, and mildness towards others.—Schiller.

That healing gift he lends to them Who use it in His name; That power that filled His garment's hem Is evermore the same. —Whittier.

For love is fellow-service; I believe.—Arthur Hugh Clough.

SUMS EARNED BY SONGS.
"Quite recently I was having a conversation with a celebrated conductor, who informed me that song-writing, nowadays, was the most profitable occupation. Many thousands a year are earned by these lucky enough to supply the rubbish sung by young ladies in modern burlesque, yet the great Russell, who was a national benefactor, received the magnificent sum of \$3 for 'Cheer, Boys! Cheer!' for 'The Ivy Green,' and \$2 for 'Woodman, Spare That Tree!'" His eight hundred songs, some of which were sung by thousands during the sixty years of his own life, were a song, "He did not see a startling illustration of the change in our times, in taste and honesty, I wonder where one could find better evidence to show that as regards our amusements we have lost our art and become willing to outstep the representatives of mediocrity."—Harry Furness in the Windsor Magazine.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, excepting 8 and 24, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less.
Application for homestead entry or inspection must be made in person by the applicant at the office of the local Agent or Sub-Agent.
An application for entry or inspection made personally at any Sub-Agent's office may be filed with the local Agent or Sub-Agent at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on receipt of the telegram such application is to have priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received by mail.
In case of "personation" the entry will be summarily cancelled and the applicant will forfeit all priority of claim.
An applicant for inspection must be eligible for homestead entry, and only one application for inspection will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of.
A homesteader whose entry is in good standing and not liable to cancellation, may, subject to approval of the Minister, relinquish it in favor of father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, if eligible, but to no other class of persons, on declaration of abandonment.
Where an entry is summarily cancelled or voluntarily abandoned, subsequent to institution of cancellation proceedings, the applicant for inspection will be entitled to priority rights.
Applicants for inspection must state in what particulars the homesteader is in default of the conditions of the entry, and it is found to be incorrect in material particulars, the applicant will lose any priority right of entry, should the land become vacant, or if entry has been granted it may be summarily cancelled.
NOTICE.—A settler is required to conform the conditions under one of the following plans:
(1) least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.
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She paused. "Do be careful," she said. "And he went, waving a hand to her, and telling the cabman not to move. Mr. Hilgay, pale and shaken, had re-installed himself once more in the little green office. Philip popped his head into the office and put a query to Mr. Hilgay. Mr. Hilgay's reply caused him to whistle a long, high note. He stayed a moment in the hall, and then ran back to the cab in Kingsway. (To be continued.)

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CHAPTER XVII.

A Move of Mrs. Upottery's.

He waited at the corner of Long Acre and Bow street. One of the seven most dismal streets in London is Long Acre. It is impossible that a street given up to banana merchants and motor car middlemen—a street, moreover, which is assisting at the slow agony of the horse-drawn industry—should not be dismal. And on Sunday mornings Long Acre is the worst. It is a miracle of melancholy. Philip passed the time in trying to guess whether the passers-by were going to the Great Queen Street Wesleyan chapel, or to the Freemasons' tavern, or to Queen Charlotte's hospital. He could not guess. They all looked alike. They were all struggling to live through the awful, mephitic Sabbath gloom of the greatest metropolis in the world.

He had foolishly arrived at the trysting place too soon. The fact was that he lacked experience in the art of keeping an appointment with a lady. First, he thought it quite conceivable that she, too, would arrive early. Then, when a clock struck a quarter after seven, he began seriously to expect her, and to look for her in four directions at once. At 7:30 he ceased to make excuses for her. At 7:40 he blamed her. Yes, incredible as it may appear, he blamed her; and it dawned upon him that love does not necessarily connote happiness. At 8 he was alarmed. He decided to stroll quietly and alertly down Bow street to Wellington street. She would be obliged to come up Wellington street. He had not achieved more than fifty yards—he stood there, those grandiose symbols of pleasure and pain, and was gazing at a poster of a fancy dress ball at which fabulous prizes were offered—when it occurred to him that Harry Starkey might have sent her somewhere else, and that she might not arrive at the tryst by way of Wellington street. He flew back to his corner. There was no sign of her. The clock which had struck 7:15 now struck 8:15. She was exactly sixty minutes late. A green Gracie Cross-

blissfully repeated the words. "Oh!" she murmured. "Of course." "So Mr. Starkey fixed you up?" he observed after a pause.

"Yes, and he was so flattered. He wanted me to stay for dinner, I told him I couldn't."

"And the scar?"

"The scar is gone."

"May I see?" he asked boldly.

She meekly raised her veil and showed him her face, pure and healthy, ravishingly sweet. "Marry" episode. Yet she had done nothing but raise her veil, and smile, and lower her veil! And he thought again, "All my life up to this day has been wasted. I have just begun to live." And if there had only been a luncheon basket in the cab he might have wished that the cab would roll on forever.

At the Alcazar discretion reigns. It is the "note" of the restaurant, which prides itself on being small and select, and on its proximity to St. George's, Hanover square. Nevertheless, the famed discreetness of the Alcazar scarcely stood the test to which it was subjected when Philip and Miss Pollexfen found themselves in one of its private rooms on the first floor. A venerable waiter had charged the dinner which Philip ordered—a waiter who knew human nature as only a waiter attached to a discreet restaurant can know it. The waiter brought in the oysters and placed them between the diners, and hurried out. Mary Pollexfen thereupon raised her veil and began to begin the repast. And then the waiter returned suddenly with a lemon neatly bisected on a charger. He saw Mary's face, and accustomed though he was to conceal his feelings, they were too many for him on this occasion. One could almost see his startled lips forming the word "Giralda."

Mary made no sign, but just as the waiter was leaving the room again he called him back.

"Waiter!" she said, in her golden voice.

"Madam?"

"You have recognized me, haven't you?"

The aged fellow hesitated.

"Yes, madam."

"I am particularly anxious not to be recognized. Do you understand? I feel sure that you can keep a secret. I fancy you have served me before, somewhere?"

"Yes, madame. In the Gold Room of the Grand Babylon. I used to be there. I left when Felix Babylon sold the place to an American millionaire."

"Ah! Well! I am going to rely on you not to recognize me. You will forget utterly that you have seen me."

"Certainly, madam."

She opened a morocco purse, and handed the man a sovereign. He bowed and took it, and immediately returned with it on a plate.

"You may rely on me, madam. But—"

He stopped, extending the plate in a respectful manner. Mary Pollexfen comprehended that, without writing, she had wounded the feelings of a fellow-creature.

"I beg your pardon," she smiled faintly, and resumed the sovereign.

"Not at all, madam," said the waiter. The incident was closed, and the dinner proceeded.

It proceeded much too quickly for Philip, who commanded enormous quantities of food in order that the deal might never terminate. They did not talk about the Corner House affair. Pushing aside the terrible actualities that surrounded them, they exchanged opinions about matters of the most unimportance. It is extraordinary how interesting a discussion, for instance, concerning blue point, natives, Ostends, and Colchester, may become in the right hands. Philip felt that he was getting to know Mary more intimately every minute. And every minute was delicious, divine, dream-like. They heard the bell of St. George's. "It is ten o'clock," she remarked, with a certain significance of tone.

"Yes," he said regretfully. "I suppose we must be going. And then, to postpone the moment, he summoned all his audacity, and hazarded an observation that had been on his tongue for nearly an hour and a half. "Your hair has grown magnificently!" and he added, "if I may say so."

She was indeed wearing a superb coiffure.

"That is Harry Starkey," she replied. "He insisted, he never will do things by halves. He calls himself an artist, and he is one. So he insisted on the hair. He also furnished the purse, these rings and my umbrella. As for the hair—I hope you don't mind."

"His voice was so exquisitely eloquent that it made PHILIP BLINK!"

She was excusing herself to him, now! Not content with accepting his advice, not content with obliging him, she was now being humble to his masculine mightiness! It was infernal!

"Mind!" he murmured.

He rang abruptly for the bill, and paid it without the slightest examination. It might justly have been called a heavy bill, but happily he had several sovereigns beyond the two incriminating hundred-pound notes. The aged waiter got back the better part of the refused sovereign in an unobtrusive form.

"I will have another go at Mrs. Upottery," Philip said, when they were crossing the pavement in charge of the commissionaire, who, of all the discreet Alcazar staff, was the most discreet. "Kingsway," he ejaculated to the cabman. "I will tell you when to stop."

And in the cab they did not speak; they did not speak at all. Mary was waiting for him to state his plans, and he was wondering what precisely his plans were. He had no desire to speak. He was content in the silent intimacy of the cab.

He stopped the vehicle in Kingsway, a little below Strange street, and he was leaning for him to state his plans, and he was wondering what precisely his plans were. He had no desire to speak. He was content in the silent intimacy of the cab.

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Commissionership of the Yukon, which
has been vacant since the resignation of
W. W. B. McInnes.

HYMAN'S RESIGNATION.

(Special to the Times).

Ottawa, April 20.-When the House
of Commons met this morning Speaker
Sutherland read the resignation of Mr.
Hyman for the city of London, which
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**TRAGEDY IN
SPRING RIDGE**

(Continued from page 1)

The place has been the rendezvous for a number of cronies who have had various drunken carousals there. On several occasions the woman has been seen running around the yard flourishing a knife in her hand. On one occasion very recently she was heard to threaten that if the dead man did not permit her to enter she would break in the door. But on that occasion she was admitted without trouble.

McKay is said to have been jealous of her and the negro. He entered the cottage of the dead man forcibly while drunk, and in consequence served two months for disorderly conduct. What took place on the night in question is more or less of a mystery.

The woman's version is only half the story as she was seen to drive up to the cottage in a hack with McKay and leave again in a few minutes for the Lion saloon, a popular resort near by, where she spent some time drinking before returning to her abode.

A street car conductor states that on the morning after the affair he was going to his work at about 5:30 a. m. when Mrs. Cowgill with blood streaming from the left side of her head and with a black eye rushed out of the house crying: "Won't you help me get the old man up. He's down, and I can't get him up."

He replied that he had to be at his work very early, and could not stop. He states that he turned in a report to the police station.

"The first intimation we had of the occurrence was at twenty minutes to four, yesterday afternoon," said the chief this morning.

The woman in the case is about 46 years of age, and McKay, who has been by turns a fireman on board the steamer Otter and general roustabout, is about 25 years old. Both he and the widow have been known to the police for some time. Dr. Herman Robertson will hold the post-mortem this afternoon, and the inquest will likely be held Monday. Thereafter if the evidence shows that the deceased was violently attacked as seems to be the case, they will be given a preliminary hearing.

NO MINCING OF
WORDS BY DEAKIN

SPEECH BY THE
AUSTRALIAN PREMIER.

Pilgrims' Society Gave a Banquet
In Honor of Delegates to
Colonial Conference.

London, April 19.-Field Marshal Lord Roberts presided at a banquet given at Claridge's by the Pilgrims' Society this evening in honor of the colonial premiers who are in London to take part in the colonial conference. It was the most brilliant of the honors accorded the visiting premiers since their arrival here. The members of the society and their guests numbered 300. At the same table with Lord Roberts sat Whiteley Reid, the ambassador of the United States; Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary; Lord Strathcona, the Canadian high commissioner; Alfred Deakin, the premier of Australia; and the Duke of Devonshire.

The government was represented by a majority of the members of the cabinet, and many of the most prominent men at the bar, in the church and in the commercial world were seated at the tables.

The Duke of Argyll, Austin Chamberlain, Winston Spencer Churchill, Lord Fairfax, Rider Haggard, Archibald Sinclair, Field-Marshal Sir George White and General Methuen were among those present. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, premier of Canada; Gen. Louis Botha, premier of the Transvaal; and Dr. Jameson, premier of Cape Colony, were absent. Canada was without a spokesman.

Those who delivered speeches were Sir Edward Grey, Alfred Deakin, Sir Joseph Ward, premier of New Zealand; Fred Lytton, T. W. Smart, commissioner of public works for Cape Colony; who spoke for Dr. Jameson, who was ill; the Duke of Devonshire and Lord Roberts.

Sir Edward Grey in his address referred to the mistake Britain made in her colonial policy in a former century, and said he was sure this would not be repeated. Lord Roberts and Mr. Smart spoke of the reunion of the Anglo-Saxon nation, and reminded their hearers that Americans were taking part in colonization work.

The most striking addresses were delivered by Sir Edward Grey and Alfred Deakin. Deakin remarked that he feared the colonies found the colonial office much further from the colonies than the colonies were from the colonial office.

Mr. Deakin talked from the shoulder and dealt with international problems in straightforward words that will undoubtedly make the careful British diplomatist shudder. He said that it was a fact that the colonial office was further from the colonies than the colonies were from the colonial office, and he emphasized the claim that the colonies should be independent nations. He said it was "refreshing" to come to London and talk with the government face to face. He promised that Australia next year would inaugurate a system whereby she could defend herself in the event of war, without assistance from the Mother Country. He emphasized the fact that the problems of Australia were not the problems of England, saying the Mother Country had no Asiatic population as menacing rivals.

Then, referring obviously to the German occupation of the New Hebrides, the premier of Australia said he wished it to be noted that England had not allowed a rival European nation to secure a foothold close to Australia without a warning from Australia.

While the British navy had not been called on in a test of sea supremacy during the past century, the speaker said this would happen in the next hundred years. Without mentioning nations by name, he predicted pointedly that there would be war for the supremacy of the Pacific with Germany and Japan.

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SCHOOLBOY'S SUICIDE.

Fifteen-Year-Old Lad Shot Himself After Being Expelled by the Principal.

(Associated Press)

Jersey City, N. J., April 20.-Oscar Kears, 15 years old, shot and killed himself near his home in Guttenburg last evening.

The boy was a member of the graduating class of the Guttenburg grammar school, and yesterday was reprimanded by his teacher and afterwards expelled from the school by the principal. He was the treasurer of his class, made an account to his class mates, and after telling some of them that he would never see them again, went down the road and shot himself. His companions heard the shot and quickly found him as he lay unconscious in the road. He was hurried to a hospital, but died soon after.

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